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Via ECF Filing

Hon. Sidney H. Stein United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

> Re: United States v. Markel Smalls Docket No. 20 Cr. 126 (SHS)

Dear Judge Stein:

I represent Markel Smalls in the above referenced matter. There presently is a status conference in this matter scheduled for November 15, 2022 at 10:00a.m. Because of a personal matter I will be unable to attend the conference on Mr. Smalls' behalf. I write to request permission for Kelley Sharkey, Esq., counsel for the co-defendant Malik Holloway, to stand in for me at the conference, along with Lauren DiChiara, Esq., who has made an appearance in this case as my Mentee pursuant to the District's CJA Mentoring Program.

Thank you for Your Honor's consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

ohn F. Kaley

cc: All Counsel via ECF Filing

The request to have Ms. Sharkey stand in for Mr. Kaley is granted.

Dated: New York, New York November 14, 2022 SO ORDERED:

Sidney H. Stein, U.S.D.J.